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Weather Forecast

Victoria and Vicinity—Thursday: Overcast with light winds. Little change in temperature.
Tuesday—Temperatures: Min. 35; Max. 48. Rainfall: 1.36.
Today's noon temperature: 50.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

5 Major Powers Told To Plan Disarmament

Canada Primate Dies



LATE ARCHBISHOP OWEN

TORONTO (CP)—Most Rev. Derwyn Trevor Owen, Archbishop of Toronto and Primate of the Church of England in Canada, died today in a hospital. He was 70.

During a visit to Victoria Archbishop Owen preached in Christ Church Cathedral last Jan. 20.

Archbishop Owen, who was elected to the primacy Sept. 18, 1934, suffered a heart seizure in Synod House this afternoon. Mrs. Owen was at his bedside when death came shortly after 3 p.m.

His last official act was the celebration of Holy Communion in St. James' Cathedral Easter Sunday morning. The service was broadcast to Europe.

LATEST

Hotel Rents To Rise

VANCOUVER (CP)—A survey here today indicated most of the large city hotels will raise daily room rates as a result of the price ceiling removal.

U.S. Explores Prices

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Truman explored the economic problems of rising prices during an hour and 40-minute cabinet session today. The White House announced afterward, "no action was taken or is planned."

Against Lilenthal

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator Jenner (R., Ind.) said today he would vote against confirmation of David E. Lilenthal as chairman of the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission. He said Lilenthal "has been at least passive" to communism.

Mayors Will Meet

MONTRÉAL (CP)—The executive committee of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities will meet in Ottawa Friday to complete plans for the federation's annual convention to be held July 8-11 in Winnipeg, it was announced today.

Cited For Contempt

WASHINGTON (AP)—The House of Representatives Committee on Un-American Activities voted unanimously today to cite Eugene Dennis, Communist Party secretary, for contempt after he had failed to respond to a subpoena.

Search For Plane

EDMONTON (CP)—Search was continuing today for a small single-engined aircraft unreported since its taking off from Edmonton airport Saturday for Embarras, about 325 miles north of here and near the southeast end of Lake Athabasca. It was piloted by Spencer Addeman, and one passenger was reported aboard.

Schacht On Trial

STUTTGART, Germany (AP)—Pale and drawn after three years in various prisons, Hjalmar Schacht, one-time top Nazi financier, today opened a new fight for freedom before a German denazification court.

Schacht, who appeared in court wearing a faded blue suit and a dirty white shirt, demanded acquittal on the grounds he had never been a Nazi Party member and could prove he had tried to oust Adolf Hitler.

Drive Launched On Guerrillas In North Greece

ATHENS (AP)—The Greek government announced today launching of a long-awaited "general offensive" designed to crush guerrilla forces in western Macedonia and Thessaly.

The announcement said operations began at dawn after government aircraft had dropped thousands of leaflets warning the civilian population that the offensive was about to start.

Both the 2nd and 3rd Army Corps were reported participating.

Strong forces were reported standing by ready to prevent the guerrillas from escaping by sea.

The leaflets, addressed to civilians, warned them to keep away from roads and streets in the field of operations.

Lt.-Gen. Demetrios Yatzis, in command of the offensive, issued the following order of the day:

"Forward, and may God be with you. Crush the insurrection. All of Greece follows you and confidently expects the restoration of peace and order."

ORDERED TO ADVANCE

Preparations for the offensive were nearing completion when King George II died unexpectedly last week. It only remained for his successor, King Paul I, to give the word to go.

Unofficial reports have said the government was ready to throw most of its 130,000 regular army troops as well as the na-

tional gendarmerie of 30,000 men into the fight.

The government is virtually staking its life on the success of the campaign.

If it fails, most observers believe the country will fall into complete disorder.

The cabinet decided today to recruit 6,000 additional gendarmes to police areas cleared of guerrillas during the current drive.

BUY PLANES FROM BRITAIN

LONDON (AP)—The ministry of supply today confirmed a report that 500 British fighter planes have been sold to Turkey and are being delivered by R.A.F. pilots. The sale was understood to be connected with the proposed loan to Turkey.

Spitfires, Mosquitos and Beaufighters were included among the planes sold. Some had been declared obsolete, but none was

on the British list of "surplus" planes.

Further Rise In Price Of Milk Indicated As Beard Hears Pleas

Housewives may eventually see the price of milk go up one or two additional cents a quart if lower Vancouver Island dairy farmers are granted their request by the Provincial Milk Board for an increase in the price of producers' milk.

The one-man milk board under the chairmanship of E. C. Carr sat in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium today and heard organized and unorganized dairy farmers plead their case for an increase from \$3.25 to \$3.65 for 100 pounds of milk in order to maintain "adequate supplies of milk for its customers in Victoria."

C. E. Whitney-Griffiths of Metchosin told the meeting that if the board granted the application it would mean an increase from one to two cents for a quart of milk.

"We should have asked for a greater increase," he said, "the cost of producing milk is still increasing and within six months we will still be on the losing side."

Mr. Whitney-Griffiths said farmers were demanding an increase in the price of producers' milk because of the high cost of farm labor and the increased cost of farm maintenance.

George W. Malcolm, general manager of the Island Farms Cooperative Association, said the public must face the fact that milk production on Vancouver Island was decreasing while the population and demand was increasing, and many farmers were ceasing to produce milk.

"Like any other business man, the farmer will produce what is most profitable," he said. "We realize that unless the dairy farmer receives adequate return for his milk, production will fall to such a low level, that the public will be concerned about obtaining milk, rather than the price of milk."

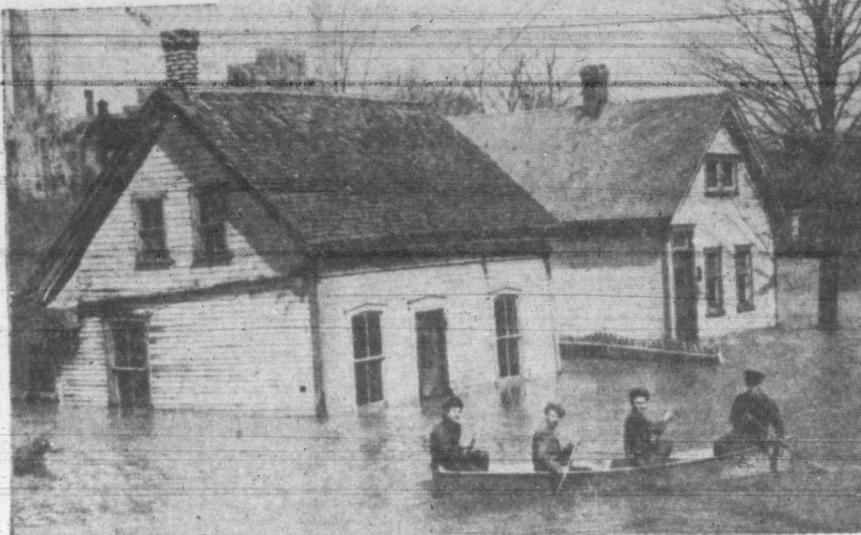
The board adjourned until this afternoon when opponents of a milk price increase were expected to present their case.

Belmont Building Not For Sale Until New Post Office Built

All hope of the city obtaining the Belmont Building at the present time was completely dashed by information contained in a letter received by Mayor Percy George today, sent from Ottawa by R. W. Mayhew's secretary.

In a letter sent to Mr. Mayhew, a copy of which was forwarded to Mayor George, the Deputy Minister of Public Works stated: "It is our intention to retain the Belmont Building until such time as the proposed new federal building in Victoria has been erected and further that the building under way and the site present Post Office is recon-

Ontario Flood



Scenes such as this at London, Ont., have been witnessed along the Thames River, where many citizens either moved upstairs or evacuated their homes. See today's story on flood, page 2.

Bare Majority Of U.N. Board Backs Proposal

LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y. (AP)—The United Nations' Commission on Conventional Armaments today saddled the five major powers with full responsibility for working out preliminary world arms-reduction plans.

The 11-power commission by a bare majority approved Colombian proposal naming the five permanent members of the Security Council—France, China, Britain, Russia and the United States—as a drafting sub-committee.

The resolution was voted in two sections, the first providing merely creation of a sub-committee and the second stipulating that its membership would be restricted to the major powers.

Joao Carlos Muniz, Brazilian representative, told the commission the big powers had reserved to themselves the right of the veto and the right of making war and peace.

"They should stand up to their responsibilities," he added.

Meanwhile, delegates of the United Nations' Atomic Energy Commission studied closely Russia's agreement to strict inspection and control of atomic energy.

GROMYKO APPROVES

Andrel A. Gromyko, Soviet delegate, was reported authoritatively to have told the working committee of the commission Russia would accept such inspection and control on all stages of atomic development, which was proposed in the first report of the atomic commission.

HAND FOR OTHERS

At the same time the program

would give other European

states a hand in administering

the vital economic resources of

both regions.

The ministers also were ex-

pected to head into a showdown

fight on French demands con-

cerning the industrial Ruhr and

Rhineland.

Western diplomats said the day

should bring a clear indication as

to whether Foreign Minister

Molotov intends to go along with

Marshall and Bevin in their ef-

orts to speed up the work of the

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A. Crockett Heads Landlords' League

Landlords' Protective League of Victoria elected A. Crockett president at its annual meeting Tuesday night. He succeeded J. E. Seabrook.

Others elected were: L. W. Aspin, secretary; Mr. Seabrook, first vice-president, and J. E. Fisher, second vice-president. A committee was also elected.

The Victoria League will contact similar associations in other cities in Canada with a view to affiliating with them.

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Red Cross Blood Unit Here Again

The Red Cross mobile blood transfusion unit is again in Victoria, operating at the Canadian Legion, Britannia Branch Hall. It will, however, only operate this afternoon and evening.

Two hundred volunteers are expected to donate during the two shifts. The majority of donors will come from H.M.C. Dockyard and Yarrows shipyard.

The blood is used in British Columbia to supply blood transfusions to those who need them, free of charge. It is used in both civilian and veterans' hospitals.

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To Begin Repairs On Island Roads This Week--Carson

Machinery is now being put into operation for repair to Vancouver Island roads north of Duncan, which are in bad condition owing to frost damage this winter, Works Minister E. C. Carson said today.

Roads in the neighborhood of Comox and Courtenay are the worst in the province, the minister admitted. Operation is expected to begin this week on a gravel crushing and paving plant which have been installed in that area. The plant has a range of about 25 miles.

Next on the Vancouver Island road repair program is repaving of that section of the Island Highway between Duncan and Nanaimo; which is also in bad condition, Mr. Carson said.

He estimated frost damage to roads throughout the province to be about \$1,000,000 and said that it had been the worst in B.C. history.

Roads in the Fraser River Valley in the neighborhood of Hope and Mission are second only to those on Vancouver Island in their poor condition. A gravel crushing plant for this area is now on order but efforts to obtain one have so far proved unsuccessful.

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Government Plane Now At Pat Bay

Now at Patricia Bay is the first airplane to be purchased by the B.C. government. It will be based there and used by the provincial works department to fly-road engineers to various B.C. points.

The plane, an Anson purchased from War Assets Corporation, arrived here from Winnipeg. Second choice in use of any notable increase in the cost of living. A few have gone even further and predicted that price levels will turn downward before the end of this year.

Although the plane, which was flown here by the government's pilot, is ready for service, operations are delayed because Dominion licenses to operate the plane are not yet ready.

Thousands Pay Tribute To Ford

DETROIT (AP)—Henry Ford, honored in death as he was in life, received the final tributes today of his fellow citizens and workers.

In his Greenfield Village, Ford's body lay in state where thousands could have a last look at the industrial genius who died in his 84th year of a cerebral hemorrhage Monday night.

They were asked:

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FARMERS EXPECT WORST

Highest proportions expecting an increase are in the prairie provinces; and in line with this prairie viewpoint, the farm group everywhere expect higher living costs in the same relative numbers as do urban voters.

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Married-with children... 81 4 12 3

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Gallup Poll

78% See Living Costs Up Within Next Six Months

By CANADIAN INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC OPINION

Some recognized economic analysts have held that the gradual removal of price controls in Canada will not result in any notable increase in the cost of living. A few have gone even further and predicted that price levels will turn downward before the end of this year.

Eight in every 10 rank-and-file Canadian voters, however, are skeptical.

Just before announcement of sweeping controls on a lengthy list of items last Wednesday, the Institute surveyed a cross-section of adult Canadians of all classes in every province.

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ANOTHER TOUGH PEACE JOB

CANADIANS, BRITONS, AUSTRALIANS, New Zealanders and Americans will dominate numerically the personnel of the delegations of 18 nations as they assemble in Geneva tomorrow to begin discussions on ways and means of facilitating international trade. This country's participants will be headed by Mr. Dana Wilgress, the extremely able Vancouver-born Canadian ambassador to the Soviet Union, while technical officials will include the chairman of the Tariff Board and the Deputy Minister of National Revenue in charge of Customs and Excise. Though the Dominion's representation in point of numbers will not be as imposing as that of either Australia, Britain, or the United States, Canada's key position in the world of trade and commerce will make up in importance and influence for what she may appear to lack in sound and force.

As our readers will readily recall, of course, during the last few weeks in London a preparatory committee has endeavored to clear the way for discussion of the more or less formalized agenda at the conference which may well keep the delegates busy in the delightful city on Lake Leman for a considerable time. Mr. Wilgress and this country's party of two dozen obviously realize that the task to which they are about to apply their specialized knowledge will demand a good deal of the traditional formula of give-and-take. Because the economy of Canada is so closely related to that of the United States, and because this Dominion and the rest of the self-governing states of the British Commonwealth at present trade with one another under specific provisions of the Ottawa Facts of 1932, much of the success—or failure—of this International Trade Conference will naturally depend upon the course the spokesmen for the United States have set.

In other words, it would appear that the main conflict of view, as far as British countries and the neighboring Republic are concerned, may revolve around what is known in Commonwealth policy as "Imperial preference" and in American policy as the "Reciprocal Trade Agreements Act." The former was the inevitable sequel to the almost unscaleable Smoot-Hawley tariff law with which the Hoover administration, in 1930, virtually barred entrance to all imports. The latter, on the other hand, was Mr. Cordell Hull's practical and successful attempt in 1934—under the Roosevelt regime—to try to undo some of the damage the tariff spree of the 'twenties had caused the world's business structure. That measure is still the law of United States; but objections to its renewal at the legal intervals has served to emphasize the fact that a good deal of the old economic isolationism which marked American policy between 1920 and 1932 still persists.

The question which will project itself onto the stage of this conference in Geneva, therefore, is: "Will the influential United States delegation—responsible to a Congress controlled by the Republican Party of high tariff tradition—offer the joint Commonwealth delegation sufficient inducement in the strict economic sense to permit of a substantial readjustment of the 'Imperial preference' formula? If the Britannic and American trading blocs are able to agree on the fundamentals of such a give-and-take policy, then many of the obstacles which are tantalizing most of the rest of the nations represented at Geneva should no longer be insurmountable."

A NEED FOR LIGHT

WHEN THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF the Big Four opened their deliberations in Moscow last month, it was suggested that the reading public of the western powers would be well advised not to look for miracles. Some hope was entertained that progress might be made. No assurance could be given. Under these circumstances, the words of Britain's Ernest Bevin—"We have been here for four weeks and have accomplished absolutely nothing"—lose some of their sting. As Associated Press correspondent Eddy Gilmore points out, however, failure of the Russian press to mention that remark is not without significance. And if the lack of progress is having a depressing effect on the Russian people, the reaction may well underscore a deficiency in the Soviet system of news dissemination.

A combination of state-controlled press and the "iron curtain" is obscuring light on world affairs. The western powers are kept peering into the gloom the curtain creates over Russia, and the Russian is unable to look out on western ideas. In this semi-darkness, moreover, Ivan Ivanovich can scarcely be expected to see western aims for a world of peace in true perspective any more than the westerner is able to understand any parallel Russian aspiration. It is highly improbable, for instance, that Ivan has been in a position to understand U.S. opposition to Russian claims for reparations, which the American citizen sees a direct siphoning from Germany of the resuscitating aid he has provided.

It is gratifying, nevertheless, to learn from Mr. Gilmore that in all the wild talk

now circulating in the streets of Moscow there is no discussion by the working people of an attack by the U.S.S.R. against the United States. It is, on the other hand, not too remarkable that the talk is in the reverse direction. The increasingly urgent necessity seems to be one of broadening the interchange of ideas through expanded and uncensored reporting. By that means the literature of one country could gain a greater appreciation of the hopes and aspirations of the others.

The fears that plague the working people of Russia, of course, find a parallel in the anxieties that weigh down the working people of the western lands when they regard the indications of increasing tension between the ideologically-different nations. It is imperative that means should be found by which the reassurance of understanding can be built, and that the peoples who admired one another as partners in war should regain and strengthen their former accord on the basis of trust and co-operation.

READJUSTMENT INDICATED

VERY DEFINITE ARGUMENTS FOR adjustment of certain charges against surrounding municipalities were put forward to the City Council yesterday by Ald. Williams in questions he raised over payments by the municipalities to Victoria for specific services. If the facts are as they were indicated, the situation is one calling for immediate attention.

Alderman Williams referred specifically to jail accommodation and garbage collection. If the lock-up charges to outside municipalities are limited solely to the cost of meals supplied prisoners housed in the city building pending trial or following conviction, a very definite inequality exists. It is highly improbable, but nevertheless possible, that inmates might be solely from adjacent districts. If the city happened to have none of its own tenants in enforced domicile, it would still have to shoulder upkeep costs for the place of incarceration. Under such circumstances maintenance would be a straight gift to the municipalities, relieving them of the necessity of putting up their own jails.

That would be an extreme hypothesis. At the same time, it emphasizes the responsibility of the city's neighbors to meet at least some of the costs of maintaining an unfortunately necessary institution. Investigation of the other services, garbage among them, could provide further material to support the case raised by Ald. Williams.

Under amalgamation, of course, such inequalities would cease to exist. Without unification, however, they become items Victoria cannot afford to ignore. Nor will there be any civic inclination to continue that could not be won without American assistance, in Ald. F. G. Mulliner's word, "suckers" for the adjacent municipalities.

UNITS OF THE STATE

THE ACTION OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT in denying exit visas to 15 Russian-born women, thus making it impossible for them to join their British husbands, emphasizes a fundamental difference between the lot of the human being under Communism and the position of the citizen in a democratic state.

Canadian and British ex-servicemen have brought out wives from half a dozen European countries without more than the usual shipping and red tape difficulties. But in Russia the situation is different. For there the citizen is not one individual in a group of individuals who have agreed to form a state which still preserves his personal and inviolable entity. He has stopped being a "personality" and has become "personnel."

Under Communism the State is supreme, and the citizen is merely an economic or social unit—a functioning part of the larger organism. His body, his life and his personal ambitions belong to the State, to be disposed of according to plan. Thus it is that the 15 women who married Britons have been told they would be "deserting their posts" if they left the country.

The British minister in Moscow, Mr. F. K. Roberts, who like Field Marshal Montgomery and Foreign Secretary Bevin, was rebuffed when he interceded on behalf of the women, points out that the problem is a moral not a legal one, since no case of international law is involved. "This is not an important political question but certainly it is an important psychological one," he commented. The point is one which should not be lost upon those in Canada who are anxious to try the Communist way of life.

MILITARY TO MINERAL

HUDSON BAY'S PORT OF CHURCHILL, originally established for the shipment of wheat to Liverpool may become the intake centre for ore shipments from the region of Baker Lake in Keewatin, some 300 miles to the north. The Muskox expedition tested military equipment in its long trek into the Barren Lands of Northwest Canada; but apparently technological experiments conducted at the army outpost at Baker Lake have been superseded by the geological investigations conducted by its members.

Attracted by stories, backed by visual possession of gold-bearing bits of quartz among the Eskimos, prospectors, amateur and professional, have uncovered silver, copper and gold-bearing rocks, shorn by nature of the overburden which covers their nakedness in more temperate climes. Fairy tales seem to have been translated into facts and technological difficulties of transportation cleared by the "Operation Muskox." What was understood to be military is evidently now about to become civilian, and the lands known to be barren of vegetation are found to be rich in minerals.

Walter Lippmann

CASSANDRA SPEAKING

THERE IS STILL some time left to prepare measures against the great postwar crisis, which is developing in Europe and will surely, if it is not checked and prevented, affect the whole world. The Greek affair, so suddenly thrust upon the United States, and the inevitable disagreement at Moscow on reparations are only two symptoms among many others of the gravity of the situation.

The crisis is developing because none of the leading nations of Europe—Great Britain, France, Italy, Germany—is recovering from the war, or has any reasonable prospect of recovery with the means at its disposal, and on the plans and policies upon which it is now working. The nations of Europe are eking out a precarious existence. They are staving off the collapse of their currencies and of their present standards of life, not by successful production but only by using up their dwindling assets and the loans, the subsidies, and doles which come from Canada, the United States, and in small amounts from the few other solvent countries.

The danger of a European economic collapse is the threat that hangs over all the world.

I DO NOT BELIEVE I am exaggerating. I am saying only what informed and responsible men say when they do not have to keep up appearances in public. If it sounds sensational, it is because the men who realize the truth of it are reluctant to advertise it. American officials shrink from the ordeal of explaining it to Senator Taft and those who see things as he does.

The British government, intent on sustaining the morale of the people and on extorting them to greater sacrifice and effort, has chosen to take the line in its official propaganda that the U.S. must not be alarmist, and that they have the situation in hand. They are, if I may say so, acting as if the spirit of Churchill after Dunkirk could be aroused by a policy which is like that of Chamberlain before Norway.

IN ANY EVENT the United States, which will be the receiver if there is a collapse, needs to be awakened, not put comfortably to sleep with assurances that are true enough, but not relevant to the practical realities of the case, about the character of the British people. After Dunkirk, the British fought on superbly. But neither Churchill in London nor Lothian in Washington failed to use his powers of persuasion to make this country realize that the war could not be won without American assistance.

Mr. Calwell, who was addressing the House of Representatives said that these schemes were in the forefront of the Commonwealth's entire immigration program.

The British had about \$6,000,000,000 of hard money at the beginning of this year. They are using it up at the rate of \$2,000,000 a year.

There is no prospect as things stand now, even if their plans work nearly perfectly, that they can do more than postpone the day when their funds are exhausted.

EVEN TO DO THAT, they will be compelled to do elsewhere what they have done in Greece. The time is not far off when, except for token forces perhaps, they will have to withdraw from Germany, leaving the whole of western Germany—that is to say most of Germany—to the United States. This will leave the U.S. isolated in Europe, face to face with the Russians in the heart of a continent which—let us not deceive ourselves—dreads more than anything else the prospect of being used as the arena o conflict between Russia and America.

The economic collapse of Britain—if it is not dealt with thoroughly before it occurs—will spread economic dislocation and have political repercussions throughout all the regions of the world which are within the sterling area. London is still the financial and political centre of an immense part of the globe. The financial margin on which it is operating is so thin—it will be perhaps \$4,000,000,000 at the end of this year—that there is no safety in it. Everything must come out right. Nothing unexpected must happen. The British people must do voluntarily what no people has ever done, except under compulsion. The margin of time is very short—two years if we prefer to be optimistic rather than prudent.

THE TRUTH IS THAT political and economic measures on a scale which no responsible statesman has yet ventured to hint at will be needed in the next year or so. To prevent the crisis which will otherwise engulf Europe and spread chaos throughout the world, the measures will have to be very large—in Europe no less than an economic union, and on this continent no less than the equivalent of a revival of lend-lease.

To deal with the crisis, if it is not prevented, the measures will have to be infinitely larger and much more dangerous.

I know how unwelcome these predictions are. I wish it were not so evident that they are true.

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Quoting

The rung of ladder was never meant to rest upon, but only to hold a man's foot long enough to enable him to put the other somewhat higher.—Thomas Henry Huxley.

The question today is whether the Eastern and Western worlds will find a way of living together in peace.—The Rev. Martin Niemoeller.

If the United States and Russia can work together for 20 or 30 or 50 years to run the world without war, they may produce a world government.—Arnold J. Toynbee, British historian.

Showing Off His Brainchild



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BRIGHT SPOT

London (Ont.) Free Press
A youngster was fined for dancing on the street in Old London. Anyone who has such high spirits under present conditions should get a medal instead of a fine.

DISCRIMINATION

Winnipeg Free Press
The west, under existing discriminatory freight rates, provides the Canadian Pacific with twice as much net earnings as does the east. And the west does this despite the fact that there is a smaller volume of freight traffic here than in the east.

WHO TRAVELS ALONE

Ottawa Journal
What's wrong with Canada? Too much bachelor government, says Mr. Patrick Ashby, M.P. An interesting theory, but on the other side it can be argued that a bachelor, free of domestic responsibilities, has more time for his public duties and should therefore make a better job of them.

RAIN AND CROPS

Edmonton Journal
Last winter's heavy snows all over the west do not necessarily mean big crops this summer. Too much of the moisture they contain melts and runs off in the first mild days of spring. The wide-spread floods of the past fortnight provide too conclusive evidence of the "run off."

Rain in the late fall, with the moisture sinking deep into the crop-lands and plentiful rain again in May, June and early July make the biggest crops.

What is encouraging this spring is that the land all over the west does contain a good supply of moisture. Prairie rainfall last fall was, on the average, 18 per cent greater than normal. That should mean a good start for this year's crops.

THE ULTIMATE

Halifax Herald
It is hard to believe, but the Windsor (Ont.) Star is a reliable newspaper and it prints this in its editorial columns:

Several people of Long Branch, near Toronto, should be feeling very proud of themselves. They have achieved the ultimate in something or other by picketing a funeral.

One may sympathize with these householders in their indignation over the establishment of an undertaking parlor on their residential street. But by parading in front of his premises, they were not embarrassing the mortician. Instead, they were intruding on the decent grief of a bereaved family, which was, to say the least, atrocious.

When picketing reaches that stage it is time to stop and take a good look at ourselves. There have been some extraordinary examples of picketing within recent times, but that reaches the end of the limit.

FOR APPEARANCES

T.D.F. in the Ottawa Citizen
"If I were an Englishman or a European or a Frenchman," a Winnipeg columnist writes, "I would not love Canadians or Americans. I think I would detest them." It wouldn't be at all surprising, of course, as lots of Canadians and Americans don't appear to have much use for other Canadians and Americans either. But for the sake of appearances we manage to put up with ourselves reasonably well.

Why A Mess?

Edmonton Bulletin
A news item from San Francisco is slightly amusing which tells of a chef who claims to have induced General Eisenhower to stop calling army meals a "mess" evidently in the belief that they might be more palatable by some other name.

Of course, it is not at all the meals that are called a "mess," but the room in which they are served.

But the term is not exclusively, nor even originally, the army's. Masculine life in the Orient includes "messes" whose members are brokers, bankers and so forth. Above all, the term has an ancient and distinguished lineage from a group of four diners. To this day at the Inns of Court in London four benches or four students-at-law dining together constitute a mess.

If it could be traced to its origin, the term would probably be found to come from the Latin "missum," placed; i.e. food placed before the diner.

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Lack Of Discipline

Ottawa Journal

In Buffalo recently there was a strike of teachers for higher salaries, and for some weeks the schools were disorganized. Eventually the teachers went back to work on a higher schedule.

A strike of pupils, such as that in Toronto's Malvern Collegiate, is perhaps a natural development. If teachers can strike, why not students? So we see the boys and girls of Malvern, in sympathy with a principal whose resignation has been asked by the Board of Education, refusing to attend classes.

It is a shocking situation, and one with which Toronto's authorities must deal quickly and sternly. The issue is, flatly, whether the schools shall be run by the students or by the constituted and elected officials, and on that issue there can be no weakening.

The question goes back to home discipline—the parents who are permitting this gang of immature boys and girls to try to dictate policy are greatly at fault, and it might solve the whole problem if the Board of Education launched wholesale prosecutions against them for breaking the law by failing to send their children to school.

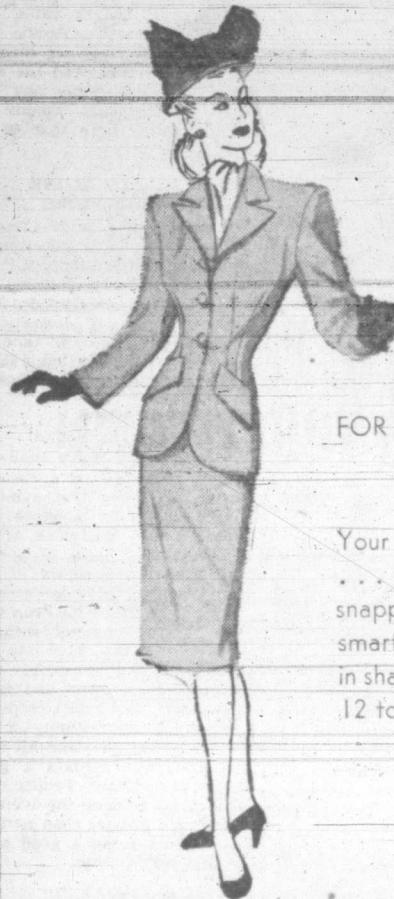
You Never Can Tell

Edmonton Bulletin

ish, but out in front Thomas stayed. Everyone knew he could not keep up the pace—everyone but Thomas. Past the halfway mark it was just a matter of waiting until he cracked, when his legs or wind gave out and he stumbled into the infield to let the more renowned figures fight for the lead. At the three-quarter mark, it was the same "Tickle." Whyte began his kick, moved up out of the ruck and started his drive for home. Still Thomas failed to crack.

Coming in to the tape he was sound and strong, so far ahead of his closest challenger the latter had little chance. He did more than break the ribbon that day. He broke popular opinion and orthodox concepts of human abilities. But then, you can never tell about an Englishman. It is a point to remember now when considering the odds against him in the economic race. —A.H.S.

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Victoria Student Wins \$750 Bursary

John C. MacDonald, one of the winners of a National Research Council bursary of \$750, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. MacDonald of Victoria and a former student of Oak Bay High School and Victoria College.

During his two years at Victoria College, 1937-38 and 1938-39 he won honors in mathematics and physics and went on to graduate with first class honors in physics at the University of B.C.

He immediately joined the Signal Corps and served with the army for the duration of the war. Since his discharge he has been attending university again, working on his master's degree. His \$750 bursary in physics is to carry on research work at the University of B.C.

Apartment Leases Not General In B.C.

Granting of a 10 per cent increase in rental ceilings on apartments, provided a two-year lease is given, is another instance of the variation between eastern and British Columbia interests, in the opinion of H. Cuthbert Holmes.

Leasing of apartments in B.C. is not general, he said, adding that he felt some apartment owners would consider the increase offset to a certain degree by the need for a lease.

"The lease binds the owner for two years but does not bind the tenant," he said.

Although it is probable today many tenants might be willing to enter into a two-year lease, in years gone by, tenants objected to such a move, Mr. Holmes said.

The 10 per cent increase, however, would give apartment owners some measure of relief, as expenses of operating an apartment had increased considerably, he added.

Says Canada Quit Europe Too Soon

VANCOUVER (CP) — Howard Green, Progressive Conservative member of Parliament for Vancouver South, said Wednesday night Canada's actions since the war have "left her little grounds for complaint at being left out in the cold" in the writing of the European peace.

Canada might have had representation, he claimed, if the government had not insisted that Great Britain, rather than the British Commonwealth, be one of the Big Four and if she had not "pulled out" of Germany, leaving the responsibility to others.

Central Figures In Hospital Opening



R. W. Mayhew, M.P. for Victoria, right, shakes hands with Rt. Hon. Ian A. Mackenzie, Minister of Veterans' Affairs, Tuesday afternoon in front of the plaque at the entrance to the new \$1,000,000 Victoria Veterans' Hospital on Richmond Avenue.

Announcement was made at Tuesday's official ceremony to open the new Victoria Veterans' Hospital on Richmond Avenue, that R. W. Mayhew, M.P. for Victoria, and Mrs. Mayhew had donated \$2,000 to be used by S. H. Okell, assistant district administrator of D.V.A., to the best advantage of the institution.

Main speakers at the ceremony were Mr. Mayhew, who officiated at the unveiling of the plaque on the right hand corner of the main entrance; Veterans' Minister Ian A. Mackenzie and Mayor Percy E. George. Mr. Okell was chairman.

Following the ceremony the large attendance toured the hos-

Rain prevented the ceremony from being conducted out of doors.

In the course of his address, Mayor George, who was representing all mayors, reeves and councils on Vancouver Island, pointed out a little known fact: that the new hospital is located on Saanich soil.

A novel presentation was made

O.K. Boys' Club Guests Of Kiwanis

Twenty-nine youngsters, members of the O.K. Boys' Club, were guests of the Kiwanis Club at Tuesday's luncheon meeting held at the Empress Hotel.

The O.K. Club, sponsored by Kiwanis, meets at the YMCA, for instruction in woodwork, photography and physical training.

Walter Jeune, chairman of the boys' work committee of the Kiwanis Club, acted as chairman at yesterday's meeting and paid high tribute to the work done by the instructors.

Bruce Baird, young president of the O.K. Club, thanked the Kiwanians for giving the boys a chance to utilize their spare time.

Arnold Ramer, general secretary of the Victoria Y.M.C.A., complimented the Kiwanis Club for taking an interest in the youth of this city.

He told the boys they must use the help given them to help themselves.

Interest in Technocracy's program is at an all time high, Mr. Porter stated. Both attendance at public meetings and membership applications are breaking records in most towns he has visited. Tickets for his lecture here may be obtained at Section Headquarters, 720 Fort Street, or from any Technocrat. Admission 50 cents.

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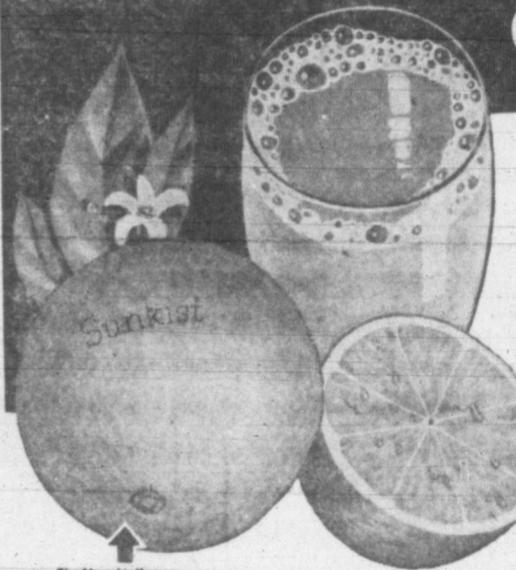
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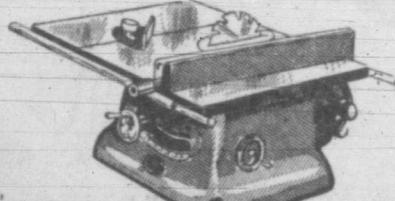
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Personal Notes

Miss Nell Meagher, R.N., was a visitor in Victoria on the weekend. A member of the overseas nurses' division during the war, Miss Meagher is now attached to the Red Cross mobile blood transfusion clinic with headquarters in Vancouver.

Miss Jean Stevenson, R.N., was the week-end guest of Miss Charlotte Cook, Rockland Avenue. Miss Stevenson worked with Miss Cook in overseas service in South Africa during the war and is now a member of the social service staff at Essondale.

Mrs. John Stewart has returned to her Beach Drive home from a short stay in Vancouver following the sudden death of her father, Mr. John Valencourt Boyd, who was a resident of Victoria for many years before going to the mainland city.

The United Commercial Travellers of America, Victoria Council 434, entertained Supreme Councillor, Mr. Ray Penrose, and Mrs. Penrose of Salt Lake City over the Easter weekend. Councillors and their ladies from Nanaimo joined Council 434, and a dinner was held in honor of Mr. Penrose, while the Ladies' Auxiliary entertained for Mrs. Penrose in the private lounge of Hotel Douglas.

On the occasion of his retirement as superintendent of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Dr. T. W. Walker, was honored when members of the board of directors and their wives entertained at a farewell dinner Tuesday at the Union Club. On behalf of the board of directors, Mr. F. E. Winslow presented Dr. Walker with an antique sterling silver cigarette box, suitably engraved. Mrs. Walker received a corsage bouquet of gardenias. Covers were laid for 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Woodward entertained with a miscellaneous shower at their home on Fairfield Road, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Taylor, who were married recently in Vancouver. Gifts were contained in a huge silver Easter egg, on a mauve and gold decorated wagon drawn by Sharon Page. The bride was presented with a corsage bouquet of roses and carnations. Those present were Mrs. Sarah Parfitt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ingram Smith, Dr. and Mrs. G. H. E. Green, Mr. and Mrs. James Winterbottom, Dr. and Mrs. David Parfitt, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Page, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Vincent, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Page, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney White, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rowley, Mrs. Montgomery and Miss Gladys Rowley.

Honoring Miss Helen Finlayson, a bride-elect of this month, Mrs. George Wilson entertained recently at the home of her mother, Mrs. Bert Young, 1026 Carberry Gardens, with a miscellaneous shower. Decorations followed the Easter theme, and gifts were presented in an Easter basket. Corsage bouquets were presented to the honor guest and her mother, Mrs. Forbes Finlayson. Others present were Madames T. A. Brady, B. Young, W. A. Davis, D. A. Nairne, C. A. Murdoch, William Grimm, W. Armstrong, D. K. Kennedy, D. Leask, B. Moore, A. Patenaude, J. T. Harper, G. Dyke, H. L. Landry, S. Renstrom, J. Finlayson, E. Pendray and Misses Mary and Gerry Kennedy, Ann Beckton, Mary Joy Taylor, Eva-Lind Hunter, Terry Cran, Evelyn Flinlayson, Wilma Davis and Joyce Deyley.

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Banquet Honors Mr. And Mrs. Mayhew



The honor guests greet their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Mayhew, who were among the more than 60 residents of Oak Bay who gathered in the Oak Bay Beach Hotel Tuesday evening.

Members of the Oak Bay Liberal Association and their wives were hosts at a dinner Tuesday evening to honor Robert W. Mayhew and Mrs. Mayhew.

Guests were received by W. S. Kirkpatrick, president of the association, and Mrs. Kirkpatrick and presented to the honor guests before the fireplace in the spacious lounge at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel.

Tables were set in the paneled private dining-room. Arrangements of gay spring flowers were used for decorations and a string trio played incidental music during the evening. Art Jackman sang several solos.

Seated at the head table were Mr. and Mrs. Mayhew, Mr. and Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hollins, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Matthews and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Heben.

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"I am an optimist as far as this country is concerned," he emphasized. "We hear that there is no opportunity for youth in this country, but the opportunities are actually beyond the imagination of most of us."

He said that under the present government "man is better able to serve Canada," and listed the achievements of the Dominion government during the past 10 years.

"Since I first went to Ottawa, the Liberal government has brought the country out of the depression and has been responsible for its all-out war effort," he said.

"We have now passed the transition period after the peace and controls are gradually being lifted as supplies are available," he continued. "As far as I'm concerned, I would rather see the controls lifted a little more slowly, so that speculators wouldn't have a chance to profit by items in short supply."

Mr. Mayhew said he believed rent controls would continue "for at least another year or two," and whatever happened, the government would face the future and do as good a job as in the past.

Repeating on the friendliness of the gathering, he said, "There is nothing in life that will take the place of friends."

Mr. Gregory thanked Mr. Mayhew for his informal talk.

Others present included Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. S. Stephens, Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Kenning, Mr. and Mrs. A. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. W. Scott, Mrs. Niven, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. S. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Mayhew, Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Doell, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Farr, Mr. and Mrs. J. Clearihue and Mr. and Mrs. J. Maltman.

Social committee in charge of arrangements were Messrs. Maitman, R. Matthews and H. R. Stephens.

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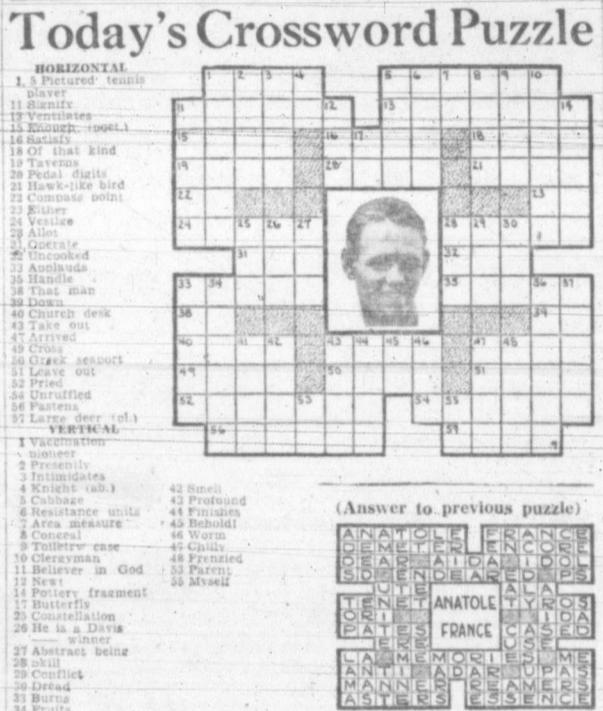
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**U.S. Loan To Russia Would Ease World Tensions, Says Wallace**

LONDON (Reuter) — Henry A. Wallace, declared at a press conference today that United States "political" aid to Greece had "too much smell of powder about it," but a loan to Russia would help ease the causes of war.

"We are not going to get anywhere by being anti-Russian or anti-Communist," said the former Commerce Secretary of the United States, who is visiting Britain. "It will only lead to war and eventually lose us our own way of life."

A loan to Russia would increase her productive power, but the financial aid to Greece and Turkey was for non-productive purposes—for tanks rather than tractors and machine guns instead of food.

Speaking to 150 newspapermen at London's Savoy Hotel, Wallace said a third world war was inevitable unless understanding could be reached with Russia.

Emphasizing the need for American effort to achieve such an understanding, he added: "I do not think the United States would be in the frame of mind to make that effort until she has had several years of depression." Wallace rejected the idea of a

personal visit to Russia, saying that although "it is conceivable that some day I could render a service to the United States and Britain in Russia," he believed the time was not yet ripe.

Turning to the Moscow conference, he said Britain, Russia and the United States still followed an imperialistic or expansionist policy, although Britain had taken steps in the opposite direction by fixing dates for her withdrawal from India and Burma.

The Princess herself will celebrate the birthday in South Africa, where the royal family is visiting.



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ROYAL THEATRE

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Walker plays the greatest role of his career as the late famed composer Jerome Kern in the lavish musical drama, "Till the Clouds Roll By," based on incidents in Kern's life. The star-studded technicolor production is currently on the Royal screen.

Brian Donlevy wants to do the life of Admiral Richard E. Byrd. He has taken an option on the film story titled, "Snowblind."

Just for a lark, Ann Sheridan, in a black wig, played the bit role of a Mexican charmer in a scene with Humphrey Bogart in "Treasure of the Sierra Madre." There's an odd situation on this picture. Young John Huston is directing his father, Walter.

Larry Parks is up for a role opposite Ginger Rogers in "Wild Calendar."

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Tarzan is now in his 30th year of almost constant association with an educated Englishwoman. Yet "Tarzan and the Huntress" finds him using the most words he's ever mouthed in a film, 128. Mighty hunter, mighty lighter, mighty slow learner.

Mary Brian, who did 240,000 miles of tours during the war and who hasn't made a film since 1938, has just recovered from a nervous breakdown. She may do a film for Pine and Thomas.

The Hollywood Chamber of Commerce again is warning movie struck people not to come to Hollywood to become film extras. Here's why: The average film extra earned only \$700 during last year. Less than 10 per cent of the 4,400 adults registered with Central Casting made enough money to subsist without income from other sources.

RIO THEATRE

JAMES McCALLION is trainer and jockey for Gantry, the blind horse, in "Pride of the Bluegrass" Warner re-release now at the Rio Theatre.

William McGann directed the re-release from an original screen play by Vincent Sherman.

ATLAS THEATRE

Vince Barnett's role in "The Mighty McGurk," current attraction at the Atlas Theatre, marks his first film appearance with Wallace Beery in 13 years.

The popular comedian last played in a Beery picture in 1933 as a member of the cast of "Tugboat Annie." He also was seen with the star in 1932 in a picture called "Flesh."

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To Meet Thursday On Transit Problem

First meeting of the intermunicipal transportation committee for 1947 has been called by Ald. H. M. Diggon to convene in the City Hall, 3:30, Thursday afternoon.

Ald. Diggon said that, as one of the city representatives, he will inform the other municipal representatives of the City Council action in authorizing the reopening of negotiations with the B.C. Electric Railway Company, and ask whether or not the other three municipalities are prepared to approve the action on their behalf.

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Reiterating an announcement made in Ottawa last week, the minister said the Rangers would be formed on a restricted basis across Canada for the purpose of operating in the thinly populated sections of the country not normally traversed nor under surveillance and where it would be impractical to organize units of the reserve force.

Following a two-day inspection of west coast defences, Mr. Claxton left Tuesday by air for Edmonton. He will also visit Calgary, Saskatoon, Winnipeg, Shilo, Man., and Carberry, Man., before returning to Ottawa.

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Humanity Drifts, Moderator Declares

TORONTO (CP)—Rev. W. G. MacLean of Winnipeg, Moderator of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, said in an address to the Knox College convocation Tuesday night that as humanity drifts into a period of cyclonic change and revolution it must face the fundamental problem of a complete lack of authority.

"There has been a surrender to secularism," he said. "God is dead and eternity has been crowded out by time." He added that "the time has come for science and the secular to adjust themselves to religion."

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Beardsley Rum Sees Depression Coming April 15, 1948

Mr. Beardsley Rum, world famous analyst of economic conditions and chairman of the board of R. H. Macy and Co. Inc., New York, answers many questions and tells you why a depression cannot be avoided.

Mr. Rum points out that the government has been paying out to veterans in gratuities and establishment, a large portion of the revenue received from income tax... now these payments have practically ceased.

Now you may learn the facts and prepare for next year by reading the article entitled, "The Next Depression," in the April edition of Cosmopolitan Magazine now on sale at your magazine dealers.

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Anscomb Interviewed But No Statement On Any Aid To City

The finance committee, headed by Ald. Edward Williams, today interviewed Hon. Herbert Anscomb, Minister of Finance, in an effort to ascertain how much relief the city could expect from the provincial government this year to aid in balancing the 1947 budget as a result of implementation of the Goldenberg Report and the new tax agreement with Ottawa.

On the delegation were Mayor Percy George, Ald. W. L. Morgan and Ald. J. D. Hunter, as well as the chairman. They were accompanied by John Baxter, committee secretary; J. H. B. Watson, assistant comptroller, and A. J. Patton, city solicitor.

A man who pleaded guilty to running over a firehorse across a street while it was in use was fined \$5 by Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court today.

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Accidental Death Verdict At Inquest On 6-Year-Old Boy

After five minutes' deliberation, a coroner's jury at an inquest held at Hayward's Funeral Parlors this morning into the death of six-year-old Richard George Peters, 582 Hillside Ave., brought in a verdict of accidental death.

The boy died last Saturday as a result of injuries suffered last Friday when he ran in front of an automobile at the west end of the Johnson Street Bridge.

Dr. John H. Moore, who attended the child, gave evidence that the boy suffered multiple face lacerations and that the jaw, bones of the face and base of the skull were fractured as a result of the accident.

Ralph Peters, nine-year-old brother of the boy, and Robert Brown, a playmate, said they had been playing in a ditch near the bridge. Young Brown said that Richard had waited for one car to pass and had then run out in an attempt to cross the street before the next car came by.

Constable Brian Ferguson, who attended the scene of the accident, gave evidence that the car had stopped within its own length, and was equipped with good brakes.

Bernard Baldwin, a passenger

Public Health Aims Outlined At Conference Of Workers

Soil conservation, nutrition, social security, transportation, and other broad current problems which have direct or indirect effect on physical and mental health of the public, should gradually come into the scope of public health workers, in the opinion of Dr. C. E. A. Winslow, speaker at the annual staff meeting of provincial public health workers being held here this week.

Dr. Winslow, an international-known public health authority, spoke on "Backgrounds of the American Public Health Campaign" before 150 public health workers and outlined transitions in public health philosophy.

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**Much Graver View
Of Greece Taken
By U.S. Than Britain**

LONDON (AP) — A highly placed British government source said today United States State Department officials in Greece "take a much graver view" of the internal and international ramifications of the Greek situation than did the British authorities.

State Department observers had reported Britain's withdrawal from Greece would pave the way for Communists to seize control of the Greek government, with help from Greece's Communist-dominated northern neighbors.

"They took a much graver view than we do as to what our withdrawal would mean," this British informant said. "We felt the present Greek government was by now fairly firmly based."

"We have always been aiming at a situation where the Greeks could control their own internal situation. We felt that the guerrilla fighting, while a considerable nuisance, was not great enough to constitute a danger of real civil war."

"Our judgment was that, although some arms were coming across from the northern borders, it wouldn't go much beyond assistance to guerrilla fighting."

He added, however, that Britain did regard the Greek situation, which impelled President Truman to ask Congress for \$250,000 to aid Greece, as "serious."

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP) — The Venezuelan government decreed a three-day period of national mourning today for 27 persons killed Tuesday when an Aeropostal Venezolana plane crashed in mountain terrain 25 miles east of here.

The disaster—worst in Venezuela's air history—took the lives of everyone aboard, including 21 high school students and three teachers returning from a Holy Week vacation. The plane carried a crew of three—all Venezuelans.

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Early Losses Turned To Gains

NEW YORK (AP) — A few individual favorites pushed ahead today in a generally nervous stock market session.

Numerous early declines were reduced or transferred into gains. The industrial section provided the principal resistance.

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

30 industrials	173.40, up .11
20 rails	47.12, off .13
15 utilities	35.06, off .17
65 stocks	62.04, off .06

Total sales 850,000.

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Montreal averages:

20 industrials	122.60, off 0.30
10 utilities	26.70, up 0.20
30 combined	107.30, off 0.20
10 pulp, paper	335.77, off 4.13
15 golds	17.31, up 0.16

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